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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY I will fill any oculist's prescription In Solid Gold Eye-Glasses or Spectacles in Gold-Filled Eye-Glasses or Speciacles...

in Aluminum or "teel Eye-Glasses or Spectagles\$1.75 Go to the oculists and bring me your prescription. Keep away from the OPTICIANS and SO-CALLED DOCTORS who test your eyes FREE. I am the best frame fitter in St. Louis.

OLIVER ABEL, Expert Frame Fitter, 622 Locust, Cor. 7th St.

FIRES INTO CROWD

Henry Zweig, 16, Shoots Ben

Schwartz, 12 Years Old, on

Franklin Avenue.

CLAIMS YOUTHS PELTED HIM.

Bullet Lodges in Young Schwartz's

Neck and a Delicate

Operation Is Re-

quired.

Ben Schwartz, a newsboy, 12 years old, of

No. 1821 Biddle street, while standing with

which both boys were taken to the City

Hospital. There Schwartz's wound was pro-

stepped out on the street the boys began throwing at him.

was with him at the time of the shooting, are newsboys, and were on their way home when they fell in with the crowd that made

the disturbance, so the younger one claims. He also says that Ben threw no rocks and

Zweig lives with his family at No. 1308 Franklin avenue. He will be held until

SHADOW PICTURES MUST GO.

Clever Artist's Work on the Walls

of Statuary Hall.

and of President Roosevelt, wrought sur-

The Western Salvage Wrecking Agency, 714-716 Washington avenue, have a very attractive auction sale to-day and Friday of a large wholesale furnishing goods and notion stock.

Y. M. I. Convention Elects Officers.

Omaha, Neb., Oct. 23.—At to-day's session of the Young Men's Institute the following

\$15.00-Texas and Return-\$15.00

Via M., K. & T. Ry., to all Texas points, October 23. Through the heart of the beau-tiful Indian Territory. Final limit, thirty days. Stopovers in either direction. Free side trips, aggregating over 1,000 miles. Write or ask "Many," 520 Olive street.

Missourisms in New York.

New York Oct. 23 - Among the arrivals at the hotels here to-day were the follow-ing Missourians:

hip Missouriaris:
St. Louis-Mrs. S. C. Clubb, W. J. Welstein,
Holland; J. H. Brill, W. C. Percy, A. C. Peen,
Astor; Mrs. T. Shelton, B. F. Yoakum, H. T.
Nash, Jr., Waldorf: M. D. Neusteier, A. J. Burton, Gerard: H. Howthall and Mrs. Hoenthal,
Herald Square, W. H. Coleman, Gilsey; E. Nathan, Jr., Maribecough: G. French, Jr., Broadway Central; J. S. McClellan and Mrs. McClelan, Barilington: H. Ellis and Mrs. Ellis Everett,
Kansas City-C. W. Locas and Mrs. Liccas, R.
J. McCarty and Mrs. McClerty, Imperial.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Brome Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it falls to cure E. W. Grove's signature is on each box, 25c

Found Bones of Mastadon.

Candidates Withdraws.

Grayelle, Ill., Oct. 22.—Two of the Democratic nominees for county offices in Edwards County have withdrawn their names frem the ticket. They are Fred Beshn, who was the nominee for Sheriff, and J. H. Blood, who was the nominee for Judge. No other nominations were made to fill the vacancies, and the ticket will only contain the names of four candidates.

Mayor Reed's Speech.

Sallsbury. Mo. Oct. 22.—James A. Reed spoke to a crowded house here this evening. His reception was royal, and his speech one of the most forcible and pleasing of the campaign.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

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was not engaged in the trouble.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL

in the National Capital as

Schwarte's condition is determined.

TO-DAY'S NEWS IN BRIEF.

Yesterday's bank clearings were \$6.588.379, balances \$20,307. Local discount rates were from between 3½ and 6 per cent. Domestic exchange was quoted as follows; New York, Me discount bid, 15c discount asyet; Chicago. Lie discount bid, par asket; Cin-cinnati 10c discount bid. Mc discount asket; Louisville and New Orleans, 15c discountbid, pur asked.

Wheat closed higher, @ @@%c saked; Dec. 196705c No. 2 red. Corn closed higher at solic bid; 175c No. 2 mixed. Oats closed at 19c bid Dec.; 39931c No. 2 mixed. The local market for spot cotton was quiet and unchanged.

WASHINGTON. The annual report of the Dawes Commis-sion declares the Five Civilized Tribes are new fairly on the threshold of a new era.

LOCAL AND BUBURBAN. Chairman Rothwell says that no contributions have been solicited or secured by the State Centrol Committee for campaign

Shooting in a harber shop caused a penic Clarence C. Moberly, who was found dead in his hotel, is believed to be a descendant

of a titled family.

Mother frustrates an attempt to kilnap Body of Edward Marshnetz, Jr., principal in double tragedy at San Francisco, is coming to St. Louis for burial.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gregory of Mount Pleasant leave their baby with a stranger at Union Station and go on a four hours' opping expedition. An epidemic of "sticker lips" has made

its appearance among St. Louis children who are following the fad of gathering advertising labels. House of Delegates refuse to adopt a resolution tendering a vote of thanks to the

The Reverend William Russell Scarritt, assistant pastor of St. Peter's Episcopal Church, has resigned.

William 8. Warner addresses a Republi-can mass meeting at the St. Louis Club in favor of George D. Reynolds.

Youth shoots into a crowd on Franklin avenue and wounds a newsboy. GENERAL DOMESTIC.

The Dawes Commission has submitted a report relative to the progress of the m-rollment of Indians in the Indian Territory. The remains of Jim Younger were buried rday at Lees Summit with simple cere-

An impending class fight between Freshmen and Sophmores of the Columbian University was summarily ended by Justice Harian of the Supreme Court. The new "Army List and Directory"

places General Corbin in line to succeed General Miles when the latter retires nert August, but military men think General ng will be named. Wilber Sherwell, who is on triel at Evans-

ville, Ind., for the murder of Mrs. Patiey, was on the stand in his own defense and The Missouri Valley Homeopathic Amo-ciation in session at Lincoln, Neb., acop:

strong resolutions against klasing, procing it unsanitary. Frank Mursey of New York has purchased all the stock of the Boston Journal. A move has been started at St. Paul to ire a fell pardon for Cole Younger. Arguments were heard in the Missouri

Supreme Court in the appeal case of Emil A. Meysenburg, a member of the St. Louis charge of bribery. The case was taken under advisement. A decision is expected early in November.

Passengers on the steamer from Purto Barrios, which arrived vesterday at New Orleans, report the volcano Izalco, in Salvador, to be in a state of violent eruption. FOREIGN.

Replying to the complaints of Venezuela. the German Legation at Caracaa declares that the Government's blockade is not only not effective, but in reality never existed. Rioting strikers erected barricades in the streets of Dunkirk, France, fired houses and invaded the law courts, intergupting fedicial proceedings. The cavalry charged the repeatedly, killing several

England's keen anxiety for the fate of the force commanded by Colonel Swayne, which was threatened with destruction by the army of the Mad Mullah, was relieved by that the imperiled force had arrived at Bohottle in safety.

The Powers have agreed upon the mili-tary evacuation of Shanghai. The open-door policy is to be extended throughout the valley and the United States, through whose good offices the agreement to avac uate was brought about, will share in commercial advantages.

SPORTING. Winners at the Fair Grounds yesterday were: Locust Blossom, Monsteur Beaucaire, Tenedos, Gebelmness, Lunar and Virgie

Joe Sherlock won last night's beut on a foul from Tommy Sullivan. Marine Intelligence.

Havre, Oct. 33.-Arrived; La Lorraine, from New York. Giasgow, Oct. 21.-Arrived: Steamer Buenos Ayrean, Philadelphia, via St. Johns, Liverpool, Oct. 22.-Arrived: Teutonic, dam, Oct. M.-Balled: Noordam,

Queenstown, Oct. 28.—Bailed: Steamers fermanic, New York; Rhyniand, Philadel-New York, Oct. 23.-Salled: Columbia, Hamburg, etc.

New York.

Genoa, Oct. 22.—Arrived: Trave, New York, via Gibraliar and Naples, Liverpool, Oct. 21.—Sailed: Commonwealth, Boston, via Queenstown.

Hong-Kong, Oct. 22-Sailed: Empress of China, Vancouver, B. C., via Shanghai,

Hiogo and Yokohams. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Sedalla, Mo., Oct. 28.—Governor Dockery
addressed a large meeting at the Courthouse to-night. The attendance was largeer than at any political gathering held in
Sedalla during the present charbaign and
the Governor delivered a most stirring appeal to the Democratic voiers, contining fils
remarks chiefly to State issues but arging the importance of the selection of Democratic representatives to the next General
Assembly.

Senator Cockrell at Nevada.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Nevada, Mo., Oct. 2:—United States Senstor Francis M. Crockrell addressed an enthusiastic andience at Nevada this aftermoon. He ably defended the Missouri school
fund and severely arraigned the Republican
State leaders, who have charged that the
fund had been looted. His speech was
well received and will do much good. Paris, Ill., Oct. Z.—Workmen excavating for a tile drain near Stewart Church, northwest of this city, to-day discovered paris of the skeieton of a mastadon. A tusk nearly ten feet in length and nine inches in diameter at the base was found, also paris of the upper jew and six teeth in a perfect state of preservation. The find was made less than three feet below the surface. The tusk disintegrated rapidly on exposure to the zir, but the teeth were not affected.

Humors

They take possession of the body, and are Lords of Misrule.

They are attended by pimples, bolts, the They are attended by pimpies, sons, toe liching tetter, salt rheum, and other entaneous eruptions; by feelings of weakness, languor, general debility and what not.

They cause more suffering than anything

require their exputsion, and this is posi-tively effected, according to thousands of, grateful testimonials, by

Hood's Sarsaparilla Which radically and permanently drives them out and builds up the whole system.

GEORGE D. REYNOLDS.

Former Congressman Addresses Mass Meeting at the St. Louis Republican Club.

WARNER SPEAKS FOR

BUTLERISM IS DENOUNCED.

WOUNDS NEWSBOY. Republican Candidate From the Twelfth District Criticises Jim Butler for Making Father's Character an Issue.

> Former Congressman William S. Warner of Kansas City addressed a mass receting of nearly 2,530 Republicans at the St. Louis Republican Club last night in the literest of G. D. Reynolds, Republican candidate for Congress from the Twelfth District.

In his opening remarks Mr. Warner spoke n the national aspect of the Republican party. From that the speaker turned to a review of the record in the case of W. O. Cardwell against The Republic. He then proceeded to denounce Butlerism, and stated that he was surprised to hear that Jim But ler, candidate for Congress, had been applauded when he had said that whelps and dogs were trying to drive his father from St. Louis.

TALKS TO HIS OLD NEIGHBORS. George D. Reynolds was introduced by General John W. Noble, who presided at the meeting.

several companions in front of No. 1119 In the course of his remarks Mr. Reynold: Franklin avenue at 8 o'clock last night. was shot in the neck by Henry Zweig, 16 Here in the home of the St. Louis Republican Club, in the ward in which Is my own home, in the district in which I live, it is not necessary for me to tell you where I stand. But here are myn assembled from all parts of the city, and to them and even to you I want to say a very few wards, meetiy a repetition of what I have said at other places, to clearly define where I stand.

Mr. James J. Butter proposes to "vindicate the Butlers." When I was talking about sustaining Circuit Attorney Folk, when, by the way. I have never met and do not know by sight. I said I did not see here vindication of the Butlers was any concern of the people of this district. I still hold this view. James J. Butler would be a worse and more contemptible man than any one has ever accused him of being if he did not atand up for his father.

Nobody blames him for that It is to his credit. But he had no right and no business to inject the issue of the vindication or condemnation of his father in the congressional fight in this district. The voters of the district are not the jury to determine that. Nor should the voters of the district be called on to determine in advance of the action of the courts the guilt or innocence of Edward Butler of the natters with which he stands charged. years old. Zweig claims that the boys had been throwing rocks at the store where he works, and he fired merely to frighten them. Detectives Williams and McGrath were near the scene and called an ambulance, in nounced to be of a serious nature. Zweig was afterward taken to the Central District According to Zweig, he has been attacked by a crowd of boys who pelted him with rocks and stones nightly. Last night they came to his brother's china store on Frank-lin avenue, where he works, and when he

Zweig secured a revolver, and claims that he fired two shots into the air to frighten the boys and attract the police. The second one, however, struck young Schwartz, who HIS ADVICE TO BUTLER.

I do not wish to thrust my ndvice on any man unasked, but it does seem to me that the proper course would have been for Mr. James J. Butler to have kept out of this congressional race entirely, gone to the assistance of his father in repelling the charges against him, help to clear him of those charges, if innocent, and then with that out of the way, and his father's record clean, to have come to the district on his own record and fought his own fight without dragging his father into it. He is the man that will be responsible, if any one, for making his father's record or character an issue in this campaign. If he objects to that as an issue nobody but he is responsible for making it one.

This election in this district should have nothing to do with the affairs of the elder Butler. Nor will this election determine whether or not Edward Butler is guilty or innocent. If it is meant, however, that the election in this fintrict is to determine whether or not the people of the district approve of the things. In politics or Inmunicipal affairs, with which Edward Butler's name is associated, and if that is the lister that Mr. James J. Butler seeks to make, all I care to save about it is that I am perfectly willing to leave its determination to the variet of the people of this district as expressed by them at the politic. HIS ADVICE TO BUTLER. one, however, struck young Schwartz, who was standing in the middle of the street.

The ball entered the left side of his neck and narrowly missed the jugular vein. He was attended by Doctor Miller of No. 1199
Franklin avenue before the arrival of the ambulance. A delicate operation will be required to remove the bullet.

Schwartz and his younger brother, who was with him at the time of the specific.

OBITUARY.

PROPESSOR SIDNEY H. SHORT. New York, Oct. 12.-Professor Sidney Howe Short, a widely known inventor of electrical ap-pliances and one of the ploneers in the construc-tion of electric railways, is dead in London, from appendicitie. He was a native of Ohio, Washington, Oct. 22. Shadowy outlines of the features of the late President McKinley ADELBERT-H. STEELE.

reptitiously into the walls of Statuary Hall New York, Oct. 23.—Adelbert H. Steele, receiver for the Gold Creek and Newada Mining Company, former precident of the Pittaburg, Change and Eric Rathroad, and well known to business and political circles, is dead at his bome in this city. His illness was contracted at the unveiling of a monument to descral Blocum at Gettysburg in Beptember. Mr. Steele was born at Meadville, Pa. ated by order of the Federal authorities. It was only recently that they were discovered there among the zigzag, apparently random, lines drawn by the painter to give the walls their appearance of genuine marbie. This remarkable work was done by arrist Samuel Alison, who excels in the presentation of puzzle pictures, which are so prominent a feature of all the walls he CONGRESSMAN C. A. BUSSBILL

Danielson, Conn., Oct. 21.—Congressman Charles A. Russell died here to-day. HERMAN H. ABRAMS.

so prominent a feature of all the walls he has decorated.

Capitol guides who made the discovery were delighted, and gleefully made the announcement to the outer world in the hope that visitors would be attracted by the news. They were, but in such numbers as to prove the undoing of the guides.

Vast crowds thronged the Capitol, which is undergoing repairs, and this hampered the artisans, who made complaint. The shadow pictures are to be painted out, for two reasons—one, that the work was being interfered with; the other, that the presence of such counterfeits in the Capitol of the United States was not "dignified." Sherman, Tex., Oct. M.—Herman H. Abrama for fifty years in active railroad service, and who dispatched military trains out of Cairo, Ill., dur-ing the Civil War, under direct appointment of President Lincoln, is dead. He had resided it PROFESSOR J. F. HICKMAN.

Wooster, O. Oct. 23.—Professor J. Fremon Hickman, aged G. died here last night of typboid faver. He was a member of the staff of the Ohic Agricultural Experiment Station and was widely known over the United States. J. T. DURRET. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Paducah Ky. Oct 22.—J. T. Durret, aged 6 years, died last night. The deceased was a well-known merchant, and father of Alderman Duret. He served two years on the Board of Education. WILLIAM PEACH. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Greenville, Ill., Oct. II.—William Pea-b, aged E years, died here to-day. The funeral will be held Friday. Mr. Peach was one of the most promi-nent farmers of this locality and leaves a large family M. H. BARNETT. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Sturgeon, Mo., Oct 22.—M. H. Barnett aged 66 years, dropped dead from his horse, one mile from Harvisburg, to-day. MRS, ALEERT ZACHARIES. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Evanuville, Ind., Oct. 21.—Mrs. Albert Zacha-ries, aged 50 years, one of the best-known wom-en of the city, was stricken with paralysis to-day and died in a few hours.

MRS. JOHN CUNDALL.

of the Young Men's Institute the following officers were elected: Supreme chapitain. Most Reverend William Henry Elider. Cincinnati; supreme president, F. J. Kierce, San Francisco, Cal.; supreme first vice president, John P. Collins, Carbondale, Pa.; supreme second vice president, James J. Kasper, Madison, Ind.; supreme secretary. James M. O'Brien, Roanoke, Va.; supreme treasurer, D. J. Cullihan, Pittsburg, Pa. The following were elected members of the Board of Supreme Directors: P. H. Keefe, Sharpsburg, Pa.; W. W. Fogarty, Indianapolia, Ind.; John J. Barry, New Hayen, Ky.; J. E. Fitzpatrick, Cincinnati, O.; W. H. Weber Walla Walla, Wash.; John W. Phelan, Mobile, Als.

The place for holding the next meeting will be left to the supreme directors. REPUBLIC SPECIAL Carlinville, Ill., Oct. 22 - Mrs. John Cundall aged 65 years, one of the prominent residents of Bird Township, died at her home to-day. ALICE DWYER.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Pilot Grove, Mo., Oct. M.-Alice Dwyer, aged Myours, died to-day. J. M. TEEL REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Rushville, Ill., Oct. II.—J. M. Teel died at his home here to-day. He was one of the most prominent and wealthy citizens of Schoyler County. He was a member of the Thirty-ninth General Assembly and among the best-known shorthorn breeders in Hilnois. THE REVEREND H. G. RICE. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Topeka, Kas., Oct. B.—The Reverend H. G. Ree, a well-known Methodist preacher, died at fakridge to-day. For many years he preached a Southern Illinois and at Cincinnat. REPUBLIC SPECIAL Macon, Mo., Oct. 22 - Mrs. Tena M. Patrick, aged II years, died at the residence of her son. W. A. Fatrick, this morning. She had lived in this county nearly all of her life.

T. V. LYONS. Fayetteville, Ark., Oct. 21.—T. V. Lyons, living in the suburbs of this city, died suddenly at an early hour this morning. He was in apparently good health when he retired for the night. The interment will take place in the National

W. H. GARTON. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Tulsa, I. T., Oct. 21.—W. H. Garton died here last night, aged 55 rears. His remains were shipped to Sedalla, Mo.

APPEALS TO CULBERSON.

He Is Wanted to Campaign in Fifteenth Texas District. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Dallas Tex., Oct. 23.—Appeals continue to

be made to United States Senator Charles A. Culberson to go into the Fifteenth Texas Congressional District and assist John N. Garner, the Democratic nominee.

Garner, the Democratic nomines.

Senator Culberson has been detained at Washington by his wife's illness for several weeks. He had expected to reach Texas before this, but has been unwilling to leave his wife. He to-day notified Dullas friends that he hopes to get away from Washington any day how, and to make speeches in the Fifteenth District next week. aperches in the Filterian
week.
Senator Bailey is on the stump for Mr.
Garner, and State Chairman Wells is
anxious to get the services of Senator Culberson also.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Savannah Mo. Oct. M.-Lieutenant Governor John A. Lee spoke here this afternoon on political issues. His address was confined principally to Stale issues. He made many friends here.

BAER PLANS TO PROTECT THE PUBLIC FROM EXTORTION.

General Manager of His Company Says That Prices of Anthracite in Philadelphia Should Not Exceed \$6.75 Per Ton in Any Case.

Philadelphia, Oct. 21 In view of the re- | ers will be requested to restrict the amount umption of mining of anthracite coal the | which will, for the present, be gold to any Philadelphia and Reading Rathroad Compurpy to-night leaved the following state-

The Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company, President's Office, Philadelphia, Oct. R. 1803-Mei C. E. Henderson, General Manager: Dear Sir-Reports of superintendents in charge of the mines show that, as a result of the strike the mines and mining plants have sustained considerable injury and the respective working ar-ganizations have been impaired. For some time come the collieries cannot be worked to produce their average quantity of coal. This will increase the cost of production. Estimates have een submitted showing the probable increase in net per ton at several groups of collieries. s general average exceeds 50 cents per ton. You will, therefore, add to the circular price of cents, per ton, tide additional price to continue intli the lat of January, 1981, by which time we

hope to reach a normal condition of mining and Notwithstanding the fact that during the strike no cost was sold by our company at an advance over the circular price, the price has been un-the dealers who are willing to sell coil to the public at reasonable prices. Where dealers seek to obtain an unfair profit from the public, you will promptly take steps to supply the reasonable demands of the public directly. Yours tridy, QEORGE F. BAER, President,

An effort will be made to arrange the distribution of coal so that parties in need Shamokin . Schuyjkill sed ash . may at least receive a small portion of their wants, and with this purpose in view deal- Lykens Valley 1.73

consumer within the limits of his reasonsble immediate requirements. The opinion is expressed by Mr. Hender-

son that the prices for white ash egg, stove and chectnut coal, delivered to householders in the city of Philadelphia, should not in any case exceed \$6.75.

Many of the dealers have already expressed a willingness to comply with the wishes of the Rending company in this respect, and Mr. Henderson has no doubt that practically all of them will heed the request and charge only reasonable prices to the

The company posts the following schedule

General price strouler No. 2, 187 Philadelphia, Oct. 18, 1807. "Facing effect this date, the prices of this company's cont. delivered on board vessels at Port Ri haund. Philadelphia, for shipment beyond the capes of the Delaware and Fort Liberty. New York Harbor, subject to our printed conditions of sale, will be as follows:

NO CORPORATION AID USED BY DEMOCRATS.

State Chairman Rothwell Makes Statement of How the Campaign Is Run.

SLUSH FUND GOES ELSEWHERE

Republican Committee Is Called Upon for Explanation as to Where Its Contributions Are Procured.

Chairman William A, Rothwell of the Democratic State Committee anthorizes the statement that not one cent has been asked for or received for campaign or any other purposes from the corporations, nor has any contribution been promised.

The State platform condemns contributions for political purposes from corporations. Chairman Rothwell has strictly adhered to this declaration of the platform. As a result, Democratic officials who may be elected will be absolutely free from any obligations whatsoever to corporations or their agents.

The Republican orators and newspapers have had a great deal to say about the State Committee money from corporations. The Democratic State Committee, Mr. Rothwell says, would be pleased to hear from Mr. Akins on the subject of corporation contributions to the Republican State Committee It wants to know if he will come our as openly as Mr. Rothwell on the eve of the election and assert that not one cent has been received by his committee or any member or rep-resentative of it for political purposes from orporations or representatives of corpora-

Mr. Rothwell talked freely vesterday in regard to campaign contributions, to the State Committee. In addition to reiterating the statement that not one cent had been re-ceived from any corporation or corporation representative, he said that but two counties in the State, Chariton and Randelph, have contributed anything at all toward the expenses of the State campaign, and in two cases the contributions were The other 112 countles in the State have not contributed one cent.

If current reports are true the corpora-lone have made very liberal contributions o the Republican State campaign, and most of the money being used in the city cam-caign by the Republicans comes from cor-soration men and big corporations.

BIG COUNTIES NEED AWAKENING.

Only Where Majorities Are Close Are Democrats Bestirring Themselves. A large number of out-of-town Democrats have visited the State headquarters this week. For the most part their reports show that the Democrats are quite active in the counties where their majority is small, but in the heavy Democratic counties there is some lack of party enthusiasm. This is the old story repeated every "off year." The counties complained of are Audrain, Boone, Clay, Charlton, Callaway, Cass, Howard, Dunklin, Platte, Randolph, Ray, Monroe Vernon Stoddard and Lafayette.

Colonel Frank L. Pitts of Monroe who was at headquarters yesterday, says he bethat the Democrats are quite active in the

Colonel Frank L. Pitts of Monroe who was at headquarters yesterday, says he believes the Monroe County Democrats will give a good account of themselves election day, which means that they will all go to the polls and vote. State Superintendent Carrington, who is a native of Callaway County, was also at headquarters, and expressed the opinion that Callaway would do much better than is generally supposed. The same information comes from Vernon County, which is heavily Democratic But reports from other localities do not indicate the activity so much desired, although fulsome promises have been made from all of e promises have been made from all of On these counties, added to half a dozen

On these counties, added to half a dezen in Southeast Missouri, depends, to a great extent, the size of the Democratic majority November 4. If these Democratic leaders do not doubt, but that Republicans will take warning about conducting future campaigns along lines of slandering the State.

The following were among the visitors at Democratic State headquarters yesterday. State Auditor Albert O. Allen, State Superlutendent of Public Schools W. T. Carrington, Major Harvey W. Zalmon of Clinton, R. S. Phillips of Laclede, State Senator E. M. Zevely of Osage, Oscar Audreen of Lex-Zevely of Osage, Oscar Audreen of Lex-

TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD RALLY. Democrats Cheer References to Wells

Enthusiastic applicase met every reference to the present administration and to the upturning of corruption among officeholders by Circuit Attorney Folk, at a mass meeting of Twenty-eighth Ward Democrats held last night in the Arcade near Belt and Ver-

ing of Twenty-eighth ward Democrats held hast night in the Arcade near Belt and Vernon avenues.

Several of the Democratic candidates were present. Besides them the speakers were harry B. Hawes, T. L. Cannon and R. N. Kern. A good or wd was in attendance, which fluctuated greatly during the evening, newcomers filling the places of those who left early.

Robert Buttledge, the real estate dealer, presided over the meeting. Colin Selph, candidate for the Legislature, was the first speaker. He was followed by T. L. Cannon. Then came Harry Hawes. The latter dealt with both local and State issues.

At some length he treated the lobby question, pointing to R. C. Kerens and Culonel "BH" Phelps as the archiobbyists, and gave this as the reason for the downfall of Phelps as a Democratic political power, He went into political history to account for Phelps's opposition to former Governor Stone's candidacy for the Senate. As Governor, Hawes declared, Stone bad driven the lobby out, and incurred the enmity of Phelps, who had therefore tried to beat Stone in his own party to prevent him securing the senatorship.

scored Meriwether, saying that the Public Ownership leader stood absolutely nowhers, that he had barrered his influence, and now presents the "most pathetic figure politically" of any man in Missouri.

Kern spoke of the wignificance of the Louisians Furchase Exposition, and of the necessity of having honest and capable of ficials to insure its success. Mayor Rollia Wells, he said, has demonstrated his capacity and deserves the commendation of the community.

"While Wells has been cleaning the community." "While Wells has been cleaning the streets," he continued, "another little fellow has been cleaning out the Municipal Assembly. He is foremost in the eyes of our citizens, and is now prominent in the States and the United States—this is Joe Folk (cheers).

Folk (cheers).

"You cannot defeat the Democratic ticket his fall without expressing disapproval of this fall without expressing disapproval of what these men have done, without saying that their work has been a failure, that you want it to stop."

The other speakers were: Charles F. Williams, candidate for Prosecuting Attorney; P. J. Clifford, candidate for License Collector; Hiram N. Moore, candidate for Judge of the Court of Criminal Correction; John D. Dalton, candidate for Assistant Prosecuting Attorney; and Dave Nelson, candidate for State Senator.

TWENTY-SEVENTH WARD RALLY. Democrats Give Their Candidates s Hearty Reception.

The Democrats of the Twenty-seventh Ward gave the Democratic candidates a rousing reception at O'Convell's Hall, Mar cus and Easton avenues, last night. The cus and Easton avenues, last night. The crowd was unusually large and the enthusiasm did not lag for a moment.

John T. Hunt, candidate for Congress in the Eleventh District, and Harry R. Hawes were the principal speakers. Joseph Dickmann, Sheriff, and candidate for re-election, was given an ovation when he closed a brief and pointed address. William Carter's remarks laid bare the shams and pretexts with which the Republicans bope to catch voters.

voters.

The speaker told the voters of the Twenty-seventh Ward that Charles F. Joy, the Republican cuddidate for Congress in the Eleventh District, was not a resident of the district which he has represented in Congress for two terms, and consequently was not interested personally or politically in the welfare of the citizens of the district. John T. Hunt discussed the issues involved in his campaign for Congress. Mr. Hawes followed Mr. Hunt and scored the Republican ticket. He asked the citizens to Hawes followed Mr. Hunt and scored the Republican ticket. He asked the citizens to compare the two tickets man for man. Among the other speakers were William B. Kennedy, J. C. Shorer, George Neville, Frank R. Furlong, E. F. Cunningham, Thomas Leonard and Judge William J. Bunley.

Opponents of Justice Hanley Have Been Driven to Extreme Measures. Politicians of the Eighth Justice of the eace District are verifying the reports of Meriwether practices in the Kerens-Phelps deal by an experience with some of his followers in that district. Thomas Blake is the nominee of that organization against William J. Hanley, the Democratic nominee Recently an investigation of the names on the petition which was presented to the Board of Election Commissioners has brought out the fact that many of the signatures were not genuine.

Affidavits from four of the men whose names appear on the petition are to the effect that they did not know the notary whose seal is used in certifying the names. One notary in the district has announced that he was approached and asked to swear to signatures whose authenticity he did not know.

What he was approached will be investigated. Meriwether practices in the Kerens-Phelps

to signatures whose authenticity he did not know.

Whether the matter will be investigated to the bottom has not been determined. Those interested in the case have been un-able to find one Charles Summers, who is said to have sworn to the signatures. The lengths to which the opponents of Judge Hanley have been driven may be es-timated by the fact that the nominee of the Allied Third party, Glibert Anderson, does not live in the district.

TICKETS FOR NOVEMBER BALLOT.

Candidates Permitted. The request of the Public Ownership candidates to have their names withdrawn from the original ticket filed September 5 by that party was granted. In the meantime City Counselor Bates is preparing a reply to the application for mandamus filed a few days ago by the Public Ownership candidates to compel the Election Commissioners to remove their names from the original ticket.

Yesterday's meeting was the first held by the board since the request was received, and the Commissioners declare there was no unnecessary delay in complying with the request.

Pay rolls for the Democratic primary politing places for October 7 and 8 were approved. The salaries of the judges and clerks will be \$22 for their services on those two days. by that party was granted. In the meantime

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The following captions were agreed upon or the various tickets to be voted: "Public wnership Party Ticket." "Allied Party Ticket." "Socialist Labor Party Ticket." "Socialist Farty Ticket." "Socialist Farty Ticket." "Independent Party Ticket." Democratic Ticket." and "Republican Ticket."

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The board refused to grant several indi-vidual requests for change of polling places.
The requests were mostly from saloonkeep-DEMOCRATIC RALLIES TO-NIGHT.

Meetings Will Be Held in the Twelfth

and Twenty-Fourth Wards. Democratic railies will be held to-night in meeting in the Twelfth Ward will be in large tent at No. 2000 Virginia avenue. The large test at No. 2500 Virginia avenue. The speakers will be Harry B. Hawes, Tom L. Anderson, Richard T. Blow, M. B. Levy, Carl Otto B. Dierkes, John H. Simon, W. A. Carter, William Gilmere, J. C. Shaner, Edward A. Noonan, Jr., and the nominees. The meeting in the Twenty-fourth Ward will be at No. 500 Old Manchester road, the socakers being Harry E. Hawes, Richard T. Blow, Edward A. Noonan, Jr., Tom L. Anderson, Joseph A. Wright, Ben F. Clarke, F. M. Estes, A. H. Rounlebush, H. W. Hoel, J. C. Shaner, H. M. Dalton, Cornelius Fauntieroy, Ben J. Selkirk, Tom L. Cannon, E. F. Cunningham and the nominees.

Old Ballot-Boxes Burned. The Board of Election Commissioners at its meeting yesterday instructed the janitor to burn the pasteboard boxes containing the ballots cast at the last presidential mayoralty and Charter Amenoments elections. There were in all 299 boxes, and in compliance with instructions the junitor started a bouffre in the basement of the City Hail which will last probably for several days.

Segro Club Meeting. cuting the senatorship.
Rounding to local matters, Mr. Hawes The Negro Jefferson Club of the First

Souggs Vanderroort & Barney

WILL BE pleased to show you some very beautiful neck ruffs, boas and dainty jabots just fresh from Paris. The Empress boa with muff, in chiffon, at \$18 to \$45. Feather boas in black, white and the modish shades, \$4.50

Crepe ruffs, decorated with chiffon roses, with long knotted ends, and Ivory chiffon ruffs, combined with black Chantilly lace, are wonderfully pretty.

Wide chiffon scarfs with deep, lace-flounced ends are shown at \$10 to \$15, and Pompadour Scarfs in crepe and Liberty silks at \$2 to \$7.50.

The newest blouse fronts in chiffons and laces are trimmed with mink and have a touch of gold in the stock. A variety of other pretty styles are shown. Prices \$5.75 to \$16.50. Very dainty crepe and silk stock ties, have embroidered top

collars, prices \$1.75 to \$3. Large cape-shaped collars in very handsome white and ecru laces, Carickmacross, Irish crochet and in black escurial and Renaissance, \$2.50 to \$37.

These are but a few of the many handsome neck pieces to be shown to-day.

MACHINERY" ADS

Were printed in The Republic during the month of September.



More than all other St. Louis newspapers combined printed during the same period.

Ward held its regular monthly meeting last night at its temporary headquarters at No. 28 Withers givenue, All chembers were pre-ent. The meeting was called to order by Eugene Roberts, Chairman. John Howard

BOY WOULD BE A DETECTIVE. Arkansas Youth Requests Place

on Chief Desmond's Staff. am a boy, 16 years of age, and want to join cour detective force. I have read a good many f your accounts. I am ahead of my playmates

of your accounts. I am ahead of my playmates, in playing "Outlaws and Detectives." I claim to be a bright boy and I have a telent which I know I can develop with careful training. Will you take me in. I truly remain.

P. S.—If you take me in, state the conditions. Chief of Detectives Desmond received the foregoing letter in his mail yesterday morning. It is like many others the Chief receives each year.

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"It's not only boys who have been rending dime novels who want to be detectives, and. Ilke this Arkansas youngster, think they have talent," said Chief Desmond, "I get letters from men and women as well. Some men have an idea that we do a regular Sherbock Holmes business; that detectives in real life pick up hairs and shoe buttons and through them follow clews that result to the solving of great mysteries. They assure me in their letters that they can do all this kind of work.

"I receive many letters from men who have theories about certain crimes that are committed in St. Louis. If I paid any attention to them it would take a great deal of my time. I shall write this boy a letter and advise him to get the idea of being a detective out of his mind."

E. P. V. RITTER IS APPOINTED.

He Will Administer the Estate of

Joseph Specht. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Washington, Oct. M.-E. P. V. Ritter of St. Louis was to-day appointed administra-tor of the estate of Joseph Specht of Guntor of the estate of Joseph Specht of Gunston Hall, Va., who died recently, Mr.
Specht was formerly a well-known business man of St. Louis, where he made a
fortune in the ciothing business. He retired from business about ten years ago.
This estate is said to be worth about \$125,
600. Papers of administration were taken
out at Fairfax Courthouse.

Mr. Ritter is also administrator of the
estate of Mr. Specht in St. Louis, which approximates a value of \$215,000.

"SOLDIERS OF FORTUNE."

By Richard Harding Davis, Beginning in next Sunday's Republic, Too Young to Marry.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL
Harrisburg, III., Oct. 23.—Mr. Harley
Price and Miss Anna Rector, who gave
their ages as 15 years each, applied to
County Clerk Pearce for license to marry.
The consent of their parents were given,
and the clerk was about to leave a license
when State Attorney Somers called his attention to the statute forbidding a man is
marry under the age of 17. The license was
refused and the couple left much disappointed.

Wabash Director as President.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. New York, Oct. 23.—The Board of D rectors of the West Virginia Central at Pittsburg Rafilway Company was tooley reconstituted. The board now consisted George J. Gould. Winslow S. Pierce, F. Landstreet, B. L. Fuller, Howard Gould Lawrence Greer and H. C. Deming. M Pierce was chosen president and Mr. Lamestreet vice president.

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Nokomis, Ill., Oct. Z.—The dedication of a new \$3,000 depot of the Blg Four road took place in this city to-day. C. L. Hilleary, assistant general passenger aront, and W. M. Duane, superinterdent of the St. Louis division, were in attendance and delivered addresses. The response was made by D. H. Zepp of this city. B. F. Coldwell and Leroy Anderson, Democratic and Republican candidates for Congress of the Twenty-first District, also made addresses. The station is one of the finest on the road between East St. Louis and Terre Haute, The crowd was estimated at \$5000.

The Hochmer Special Custom Toe Shoes for men. 14 value for 35, at the exclusive \$1 store, 506 N. Sixth street.

Judge Ordered Dog Killed. Jacob Schiltner of Lee place and Lee avenue, whose dog bit Angela Suilivan, 6 years old, of No. 443 Kossuth avenue, September 22 last, was fined 116 by Judge Tracy in the Dayton Street Police Court yesterday, and ordered to kill the dog. Schiltner took an appeal. The little girl said she was looking for her cat and was passing Schiltner's place when the dog attacked her, Members of Schiltner's family stated that she was in the yard when the dog bit her.

Forty Hours' Devotion at St. Jan's. The forty hours' adoration will begin in Sr. John's Church, Sixteenth and Chestnot streets, to-day and end next Sunday Mass While they will be celebrated at 8 o'clock this normal crail with ing, and at the same hour to-morrow morning. Evening pervices commencing at 3 he is not o'clock will be held both days. A sermor LaPlata an will be preached mothing and evening on der arrest.

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Every day hereafter the St. Louis and New York Limited of the Pennsylvania Short Line will run as an independent train from St. Louis and Indianapolis, composed of Library Smoking, Dining, Sleeping and Observation cars, and when necessary to avoid cleay at Pittsburg, these cars will run as a solid train through to Harrisburg, Philadelphia and New York.

The New York Limited of the Vandalia-Pennsylvania Short Line leaves St. Louis Urien Station every day at 1:00 o'clock p. m. St. Louis Ticket Office at corner of Jih and Olive Streets.

Three Express trains every day, with through sleeping and dining cars from St. Louis to New York, over the Vandalia-Pennsylvania Short Line.

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MAYOR ROBERT ROHL INDICTED.

He Is Charged With "Palpable Omissions of Duty." Centralia, Ill., Oct. 23.-After being elected on reform promises, Mayor Robert Robl. a. Republican, finds himself indicted with five counts against him, specified as "palpable

counts against him, specified as "palpable omissions of duty." After the Council had ordered the Mayor to enforce saloon and gambling laws, the Mayor set them aside after two weeks and personally released the arrested gamblers.

The climax was reached six weeks ago when a discharged policeman told of the Mayor's wide-open orders in open Council meeting. Mayor's wide-open orders in open council meeting.

At one time he denounced representatives of the Women's Christian Temperance Union as cowards, and promised to use his office to protect saloon men. This occurred in Police Court, and is the basis of one count of the five indictments.

About forty seloon men and gamblers were indicted at the same time.

"SOLDIERS OF FORTUNE," By Richard Harding Davis,

Beginning in next Sunday's Republic. CITY HUNTING A LOST BOY. Father Fell Exhausted in Search

and Mother Is Delirious. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Evansville, Ind., Oct. 21.—The search for Robert, the little 4-year-old son of Doctor R. T. Venneman, at Troy, Ind., continued all day to-day and is still going on to-night. No trace of him has been found. This afternoon, while leading in the search, the father of the boy fell exhausted in his tracks and had to be hauled to his home. Mrs. Vennement man is almost cruzed.

The bloodhounds brought yesterday from Morganfield. Ky, were of no use in the search and were returned to Morganfield today. The generally accepted theory at Troy now is that the lad fell into the river. The

ing in all directions for the missing lad.

The mother of the boy is delirious. Creamerle Annex, 606 Washington. Most popular luncheon place in city. Will serve special bill this week. Orchestra

own is descrited to-night and men are k

Father and Son Hurt. Henry Baker and his son Gus, 2 years old, of Casseyville. Ill. were knocked from a wagon at Jefferson avenue and Winnehago street yesterday by a Jefferson avenue car. Both were conveyed to the South Side Dispensary where hoctor by mann dressed two scalp wounds and a lacerated hand for the father and a bruised shoulder and elbow for the son. They then went to the home of Henry Reinno at No. 2832 Ohio avenue.

The Boehmer Special Custom Toe Shoes for men. H value for M. at the exclusive M store, 506 N. Sixth street.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Macon, Mo. Oct. 23.—John Crait and Fred
White, section men on the Santa Fe, in
Northwestern Macon County, had a quarret
this morning before they went to work.
While they were at work White attacked
Crait with a shovel, hitting him violently
over the head, injuring him so badly that
he is not expected to live. Crait lives at
LaFlata and White at Ethel. White is under arrest.

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Section Men Fought. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.